

HE HAS THE RIGHT TO CRITICIZE WHO HAS THE HEART TO HELP. — Abraham Lincoln

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## SHERIFF HOWE TO SEEK RE-NOMINATION IN JUNE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

Sheriff Alton L. Howe, North Waverly, announced today that he would seek the Democratic Party nomination for Sheriff in the June primary election. Howe is seeking re-election to the office he won with a good vote margin, in the general election of November 1972.



Alton L. Howe

Sheriff Howe stated he would like to continue serving the residents of Oxford County. He has made numerous improvements in the department; he stated that he intends to continue his program of improvement.

Sheriff Howe has been very active in the activities of the Maine Sheriff's Association and the Maine Chiefs of Police Association.

In November of 1973, Governor Curtis appointed Sheriff Howe to serve as a director of Maine Law Enforcement Planning and Assistance Agency. This agency is responsible for the planning and awarding of grants to all of the law enforcement agencies in the state.

Sheriff Howe is also currently serving as co-chairman of the Oxford County Criminal Justice Committee.

The Sheriff is married to the former Donna Rice; the Howes have two children; April, six, and Chipper, age five.

## SENIOR CITIZENS TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY

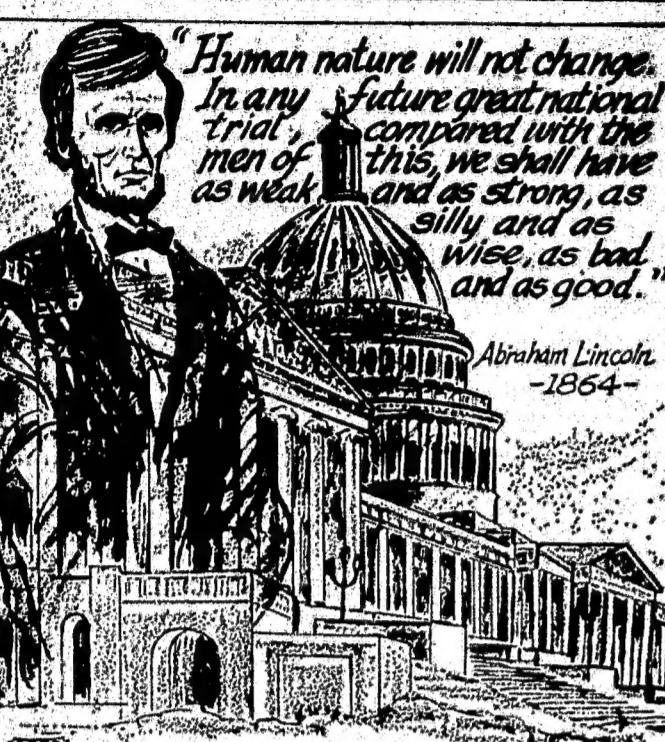
The Senior Citizens will be meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 12, 11 a. m., at the West Parish Congregational Church. Lunch will be served by the Ladies of Our Lady of the Snows Church.

A new program for Senior Citizens of Oxford County has been initiated, directed by Olive Lasselle of Oxford, whereby topics of interest will be presented at regular meetings. The first such program, beginning at this meeting, will deal with the subject of transportation. Ed Qulon of Gilford will speak on railroad history of the area. Time of the program is approximately one o'clock and everyone is invited to attend.

## American Legion GAME NIGHT

Every Thursday Evening  
7:00 o'clock

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Legion Hall, Vernon St.  
Bethel



"Human nature will not change. In any future great national trial, men of this, we shall have as weak and as strong, as silly and as wise, as bad and as good." Abraham Lincoln 1864



Red Drapeau, Store Manager

## KELLEY'S AUTO PARTS OPENS

### BETHEL BRANCH AT MECHANIC STREET LOCATION

Kelley's Auto Parts Inc., of Berlin, N. H., has recently opened a Bethel branch on Mechanic Street in the building formerly occupied by Steve's Garage.

Wilfred Charest, owner, has announced that the new store, under the management of Red Drapeau of Berlin, will carry a full line of automotive parts and accessories, in addition to tools and a variety of industrial equipment. Of interest to

those in the trucking and lumbering industry is that Kelley's will stock a line of frequently needed items such as hydraulic hose and fittings, wire rope, V belts, chains, and attachments. They specialize in NAPA auto parts and can promise overnight delivery on items should they be temporarily out of stock at the Bethel store.

Also employed at Kelley's is Mike Wilson, Telstar Regional High School student, who works after school and on Saturdays under the high school cooperative education program.

## NEW GUIDELINES ISSUED FOR FREE/REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL LUNCHES

—S. A. D. 44 Parents to be Notified Parents in S. A. D. 44 will shortly receive the following letter (with accompanying form for requesting an application) pertaining to new Federal regulations with regard to Free and Reduced Price School Lunches.

Dear Parent or Guardian:

"In the fall we announced that

federal assistance allowed us to pro-

vide some school meals free or at

reduced price, dependent on family

size and income.

"Now Federal Regulations made

the Meals Available to many Addi-

tional Families. In view of the

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## MRS. ANTON HAS PAINTINGS ON DISPLAY AT BETHEL LIBRARY

The Bethel Public Library has on display, for the next three weeks, a collection of paintings by Mrs. Jean Anton of Locke Mills. She is new to the area, having resided at Locke Mills but two years, is an ardent skier, and has employment at Mount Abram Ski Slopes.

Originally from Georgia, Mrs. Anton is a graduate of Randolph-Macon Women's College, has studied at the Portland School Fine and Applied Arts; Famous Artists School, Westport, Conn., and under the direction of Ed Mayo, Roger Deering and Alfred Fuller. Her paintings have had many showings, including both the Portland and Norway-South Paris Sidewalk Art Festivals, where in recent years she was awarded several prizes.

Robert Colby of St. Johnsbury, Vt., spent the week end in town. He accompanied the Bible Institute of New England Singers of Praise who entertained at the Gospel Center Saturday evening.

## COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Town Office will be open Monday Feb. 18 and Saturday, Feb. 23, primarily to accept excise taxes. The Mexico office for registering vehicles will be open all day both the 18th and 23rd.

Some town officials must attend a hearing, Feb. 12, to answer to charges we are in violation of the law that prohibits dumping rubbish within 300 feet of a classified waterway. Fourteen other towns in the area must appear also. We must submit plans of what we intend to do and when we are going to do it, or the Department of Environmental Protection will formulate them for us.

We have been hesitant to commit ourselves to definite plans because the guidelines presented have been vague and considering the sums of money necessary to implement any approach to the solid waste problem we wanted to know the path chosen was going to be acceptable in the future. The DEP now is advocating sanitary land fills which, to them, appear to be the only solution although some of their people will admit privately these will be outdated within a few years.

The Town Office must be open 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. weekdays from Feb. 6 through Feb. 12 to accept voter registrations prior to the School District Budget Meeting.

Elwyn N. Dickey

## BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY IS MEETING TONIGHT

Tonight's meeting of the Bethel Historical Society will feature a talk by Margaret Joy Tibbets on the Gehring Clinic. Certain items of business to be taken up will make this one of the most important meetings of the year for both members and non-members. Try to come, 7:30 at the Moses Mason Meeting Room.

## HEARINGS ON 300 FOOT DUMP OWNERS NEXT WEEK

Several communities and individuals in this part of Maine, whose dumps may threaten nearby waters, will meet next week with representatives of the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) to discuss how long their operations can continue.

All such owners have been called to a public hearing ordered by the Board of Environmental Protection and scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 9 a. m. in the County Court House at South Paris.

Scheduled to appear in the order listed are: Bethel, Bridgton, Buxfield, Byron, Carthage, Dixfield, Greenwood, Hebron, Lewiston, Lovell, Naples, Peru, Sumner, Temple and Woodstock, \$22,763.19.

Voters in the District will make a decision on the proposed budget at the annual District Budget Meeting to be held Thursday evening, Feb. 21, at 7:30 in the Telstar Auditorium.

In other business Monday evening the board extended the March 1 deadline of the Ad Hoc Committee for Educational Planning in S. A. D. 44 to Aug. 31, 1974, while at the same time urging the committee to complete its work as early as is expedient.

The directors authorized the seek of bids for four 60-passenger busses and one van-type bus included in the proposed budget as soon as feasible.

Board members affixed their signatures to the document transferring title to the West Bethel school property to the town of Bethel, as

## To the voters of the Town of Greenwood:

I will not be a candidate for the position of Fire Chief at the annual town meeting. I will continue to serve as Forest Fire Warden as appointed by the Maine State Forestry Service.

Raymond A. Seames



## S. A. D. 44 BOARD APPROVES BUDGET AT MONDAY SESSION

Meeting at Telstar Regional High School on Monday evening of this week, the board of directors of S. A. D. 44 approved a budget for fiscal year 1975. The document would authorize the expenditure of a total of \$1,897,398.51 for the July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975 year. The budget includes a contingency fund of \$40,000. Of this amount, \$21,000 is an estimate of S. A. D. 44's share in the Northern Oxford Vocational Area, and \$16,000 to implement Special Education requirements mandated by the recent regular session of the Maine Legislature.

## READY FOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sophomore Jeff Fleet is expected to be one of Telstar's top threats in cross country this week end at the Maine Class "A" Interscholastic Ski Championships, as events are spread from Saddleback to Bethel to Andover in search of sufficient snow to hold the events.

## NO CONTESTS YET IN BETHEL ELECTION

As of late Wednesday, no additional candidates have appeared for elective positions to be balloted on in the annual Bethel town election on March 4.

The incumbents, Leland R. Brown and John T. Grover, have indicated that they will seek another three year term on the board of selectmen/assessors. William Wade is interested in the one year remaining of the unexpired term of resigned Selectman Maurice Roy.

Incumbents will seek re-election to three spots on the S. A. D. 44 Board of Directors, two of three years, and a single short term of one year. Mrs. Betty Ann Hastings and Mrs. Patricia Hudson will be candidates for the three year terms and John C. Anderson the one year vacancy.

Any interested candidates have until 5 p. m. Monday, Feb. 11, to file nomination papers with the Town Clerk, in order to be listed on the ballot.

## BADC TO MEET FEBRUARY 12

The annual meeting of the Bethel Area Development Corporation is scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1974 at 7:30 p. m. at the Community Room, Casco Bank and Trust Company. All interested parties are welcome.

## MINERAL AND GEM ASSOC. MEETS AT RUMFORD, FEB. 13

Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association will meet at Rumford at the Public Library (downstairs) Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 7:30 p. m.

Louis Marcotte will speak on Nova Scotia and mineral specimens will be shown. The public is invited.

well as to the warrant for the Annual District Budget Meeting.

The annual report of the District is scheduled to be distributed to the citizens of S. A. D. 44 by the latter part of next week.

The next regular meeting of the board is scheduled to be held at 7:30 on Monday evening, Feb. 18, at Telstar Regional High School.

Harry John Buswell who recently enlisted in the USAF, left Monday for Lackland AFB, Tex.

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## MAGALLOWAY &amp; WILSON'S MILLS

Mrs. Bertha West, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peglio and two children of Rhode Island, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harvey. On their way home Monday, they called on Bessie Harvey at the Coos County Hospital.

Mary Hinckley of Portland was at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hinckley, over the week end.

A number from here attended the whist party in Errol Saturday evening.

It is reported that Curtis Ferren was taken to the Colebrook Hospital by ambulance Sunday night. He was our mail carrier for years, starting.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harvey visited his mother, Bessie Harvey, at the Coos nursing home Sunday, in 1917.

They found her gaining and exercising with her walker aid again after being in bed for over four weeks with a cold and arthritis in her knee.

Word received from Addie Lancaster, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Ruth Noyes, in Copake, N. Y., saying they have no snow there and that she has had a bad time with arthritis this winter.

Thursday night was a terrible night here without electricity for over six hours with a very strong wind. I felt sure it was going to pick me, my trailer and all and drop us on the other side of Aziscoos Mountain. If a trailer can stand the beating that get from the wind, it will stand any future wind.

Malcolm Harvey visited his mother Bessie Harvey at the Coos County nursing home Sunday.

We are having a real cold spell here, 15° below zero Sunday morning and about the same this Monday morning.

Glen White was home from the Togus Veterans Hospital for the week end. He is feeling real good and expects to be discharged soon.

Word received from Herman Kennedy from the Jamaica Plain Veterans Hospital is that, he is improving. He is there for speech therapy after his severe stroke of Oct. 23. He could not speak a word at Christmas time. He can say a few words now, and count. We are all glad for him.

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY  
— Harlan Bumpus, Correspondent —

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mallett of Conneaut were at their place over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hale and family, Denmark, and Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie White and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bennett, David and Danny, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laforest Twichell, Bryant Pond, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns' callers have been the Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Wentworth of Mechanic Falls and Miss Ivy Philbrook of Bethel and friend of Massachusetts.

Mrs. Nonna Kingman's callers were Mrs. Susan Landers, Hunter and Harrison, and Mrs. Judy Kersey and David of Bethel; Mrs. Hazel Allen and Mrs. Flora Allen of Lovell; Mrs. Carolyn Smith, Lloyd MacGray, and David Deans of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Allen of North Lovell; and Chester White of Augusta.

Mrs. DiAnn Leighton took Mrs. Sarah Andrews to Lewiston Monday for her check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seames and Robert and Frank Howard of Bryant Pond were recent callers of the Howard Inman family.

The week's callers at Harlan Bumpus' were the Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Wentworth of Mechanic Falls, Mrs. Sylvia Cummings of South Paris; Tink Rugg; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell and Jane of Bryant Pond; Hugh Stearns; and the Misses Madaline and Core Bumpus, Mrs. Richard Merriam, and Ronald

## EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange No. 145 on Friday, Feb. 8, at the Grange Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble and children, Becky and Allan, of Acton, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings. Mrs. Hastings returned home with them for the week.

Mrs. Arthur Chamberlain and son, Joshua, of Canaan, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe. Joshua will stay for a few more days.

Mrs. Leona Lurvey of Rumford and Mrs. Floribell Haines were in Rumford Tuesday. Mrs. Lurvey was a dinner guest of Mrs. Haines Sunday and they both attended the supper at the Nazarene Church.

Mrs. Leona Curtis was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis, Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Kimball and children, Velora and James, went skating on South Pond Sunday while Paul Kimball was ice fishing.

Jim Grover was an overnight guest of James Kimball Friday while Velora Kimball entertained Sandra Limbrick overnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson, III, have moved from South Paris and are staying at present with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crockett. On Sunday they visited the Paul Kimballs.

Mrs. Paul Kimball visited Mrs. Charles Haines Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grover visited Mrs. Marian Tucker in Mount Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller of West Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Palmer, Fawn and Felicia, of Mexico, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crockett last week were Mrs. Paul Kimball, Miss Esther Crockett, Mrs. Kenneth Crockett and Mrs. Frank Gibson, III. Mr. and Mrs. John Caponi, Rumford, were supper guests of the Crockets Friday. Later they all attended the game party at Locke Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tyler were supper guests of the Crockets, Saturday.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. John VanDeursen of Bethel entertained Mr. and Mrs. Leland Coolidge at a birthday celebration for Mrs. Coolidge. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Coolidge and children, Rosalie and Teresa, were also present. Mrs. Richard Cox made a birthday cake for Mrs. Leland Coolidge Saturday and had refreshments with the Coolidges Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge had supper at the Chicken Coop in Mexico. Afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker were visitors.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Coolidge entertained at supper, Mr. and Mrs. John VanDeursen and children, Becky and Kevin of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Erland Whittemore of East Dixfield. Mrs. Coolidge received telephone calls from Mr. and Mrs. Vern Corkum in Bennington; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Croteau of Milan, N. H.; MST and Mrs. Carl Corkum of Austin, Tex., and Mrs. Marie VanDeursen of Plainfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. David Foster visited George Abbott at Chapel Valley in West Paris Saturday. Later they visited Morse Orchards and Mr. and Walter Hamlin in South Waterford.

Mrs. Lewis Smith returned home Sunday from the Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

Mrs. Roland Stearns and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford corner visited Mrs. Smith Monday afternoon.

Stanley Howe was at York Harbor on Saturday.

Mrs. Sue Chamberlain and Joshua, Mrs. Rodney Howe, visited Saturday with Mrs. Ruth Hastings, South Paris.

Mrs. Rodney Howe was a guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jellison, West Farmington.

Logan and son, Chris, all of Auburn.

## EAST STONEHAM

Gladys Kilgore, Corres.

The Daughters of Veterans met at the town hall Wednesday night with 13 present. Installation was held, with Mrs. Helen Grover as installing officer. A nice lunch was served after the meeting by Mrs. Coleen Role and Mrs. Polly Lawrence.

Birthday cakes were presented to Mrs. Joyce Gouin, and Gladys Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker Sr. visited his sister, Friday.

Mrs. Grace Nelson and Mrs. Gladys Kilgore went to Bethel Thursday. It is nice to know that Dr. Martin is back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Doughty

visited her sister, Mrs. Inez Far-  
rington, at Ledgeview, and also her  
niece, Mrs. Lois Neimi, who is in  
the hospital at Bridgton for surgery.

Mrs. Helen Grover, Mrs. Oma  
McAllister and Mrs. Vesta Nelson  
went to Norway shopping Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson  
visited Clifford Hill, who is in the  
Pike's Hill nursing home, Saturday.

They found him feeling much  
better.

Mrs. Edith Holt of North Wal-  
lford visited Gladys Kilgore Sat-  
urday.

Mrs. Hazel Allen and Mrs. Fl-  
orence Allard visited Vesta Nelson  
Monday.

Peter Lombard is boarding with  
two visitors attending a  
program and business meeting.

It was held during  
followed by two qu-  
Edward Quinn and  
Mason. Next meet-  
at Mr. and Mrs. Al-  
February 27 with

The Ladies Chap-  
at Mrs. Sheila He-  
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ing the 13th. A pot-  
be held. Please bring  
supper and auction.

Mr. and Mrs. Al-

were supper guests

joy's Sunday.

The weather quiet  
below. No snow here.  
A lot of ice, most  
snow and ice so  
if anyone can get  
visiting from out-

Mr. and Mrs. No-  
Errol, N. H., called  
nesday of last week  
their way home at  
Harbor.

Mrs. Verna Swan

called on friends

Mr. and Mrs.

Brent, Arlynn, Ch-

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**Hams** 79¢  
5-6 lb. avg. wt.  
**RUMPT PORTION** LB. 79¢  
**PIZZA SHELLS** 59¢  
4 pk.  
**ROLLS** 69¢  
2 12 oz. pkgs.  
**TOOTHPASTE** 77¢  
7 oz. tube  
**Oranges** 69¢  
EXTRA LARGE Sunkist Navel  
**CORN** 89¢  
4 16 oz. cans  
**Green Beans** 85¢  
16 oz. cans  
**Tomatoes** 98¢  
4 16 oz. cans  
**CORN** 89¢  
4 16 oz. cans  
**Peas** 95¢  
16 oz. cans  
**Carrots** 95¢  
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## WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lois Gilbert, Corres.

Pleasant Valley Grange No. 136 met on Thursday evening, Jan. 31, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason with 16 members and two visitors attending the supper and program and 16 attending the business meeting. A silent auction was held during Lecturer's hour, followed by two quizzes, Reading by Edward Quinn and story by Gordon Mason. Next meeting will be held at Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walkers, February 27 with supper at 6:30.

The Ladies Chapel Aid will meet at Mrs. Sheila Head's for the February meeting on Wednesday evening the 13th. A pot luck supper will be held. Please bring something for supper and a suction.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings were supper guests of their daughter and family the Cleveland Loveloy's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bennett of Pontiac, Mich., left for home Monday.

The weather quite cold, zero or below. No snow here for some time. A lot of ice, most roads are free of snow and ice so traveling isn't bad if anyone can get the gas. Not much visiting from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Thurston of Errol, N. H., called on me on Wednesday of last week. They were on their way home after a trip to Bar Harbor.

Mrs. Verna Swan of Bryant Pond called on friends in town Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gilbert, Brent, Arlyn, Cheryl and Carol, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr.

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## WEST PARIS

Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres.

Callers at Mrs. Frances Bennett's on the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes Jr., of Manchester, N. H., and Mrs. Robert Gorham and son, Danny, of Shelburne, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe were in Marblehead, Mass., over the week end to visit their daughter, Mrs. Patricia Bartlett and family. They went Friday, returning home Sunday. They didn't go out much while there as they had 14 inches of snow on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray West of Rumford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Loveloy Sunday. Mrs. West visited her parents Thursday afternoon last week.

The West Bethel Youth Group met February 2 with twelve members and two leaders, Juanita Haines and Gloria Snyder.

We discussed if we should keep dues the same, or change. It was decided if anyone wished they could bring 25 cents or 10 cents or over.

The bowling trip was cancelled until February vacation and decided on three strings per person.

We discussed the calendars we made. One will be given to each of the Youth Group families.

We drew names for our secret pal.

Next meeting February 16. This will be our Valentine party. Please bring something for refreshments. — Reporter, Rebecca Walker.

## NORTH PARIS

Eveline C. Barrett, Corres.

Mrs. Madelyn Herrick of Norway, a former resident here, is in Norway hospital, in the intensive care unit.

Mrs. Hazel Estes is better at this writing and may come home Wednesday.

Joe Kalinowski and Stanley Unikiewicz, Portland, Conn., were at "Big Rock" Friday night and Saturday. They had supper Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lawrence then they all went to Auburn to the dance with Ivan Proctor. They returned home Sunday morning.

Prayer meeting was held at the home of Jackie Stevens, Tuesday evening by members of North Paris church.

The O'Hearons were at Brunswick Naval Base Friday. Evelyn Barrett and Mildred Hazelton were at South Paris.

Two men from Augusta Transportation Dept. were at Joe Barrett's to see about the well and take water samples, preparatory to the bridge building. They said the work would start the last of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Chamberlain and family have moved from the Gibbs house to their new home recently built near his parents.

Todd Davis missed school last week due to sickness. Mildred Hazelton was at Norway

## ANDOVER-E. ANDOVER

Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.

Florence Hall read at the weekly Story Time recently with Marie Nupula as her assistant. Eight children attended on a very stormy day.

Josephine Meisner entered the Community Hospital on Jan. 28. Burton Messer was a patient at the Community Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bishop are the parents of a son, David Anthony, born on Jan. 26 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed 9 pounds 3 ounces. Mrs. Bishop is the former Anna Morton. David joins twin sisters who will be four in February. Maternal grandfather is Lewis Morton, Andover; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary Bishop, Bethel.

There will be a food sale Saturday at the Coop Store 10:00 a.m. Mrs. Elaine Pierce is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mina Baker. A Mollyocket Neighborhood Certificate Training Program was held at the home of Gwen Ellingwood, Field Director for Mollyocket Neighborhood. Mrs. Eleanor Yerxa, Caps Elizabeth, instructed the group on aspects of camping, such as skills, psychological, health and safety programs.

The annual business meeting of West Paris Baptist Church. The meeting was opened with devotions by Rev. Crawford. Bruce Tyner was moderator. Previously nominated officers were elected: Clerk, Jean Tyner; treasurer Eldith Lang; assistant treasurer, Jennie King; trustees, William Edmunds, Wright Flavin, Wilbur Libby, Warren Waterhouse; deacons, William Edmunds, Wright Flavin, Wilbur Libby, Bruce Tyner; deaconesses, Lula Waterhouse, Anne Flavin, Thelma Edmunds, Nellie Libby; Missions and Evangelism, Jennie King, Jean Tyner, Lillian Curtis; music, Charlotte Littlehale, Patricia Pierce, William Edmunds; superintendent and treasurer of Family Bible Hour, Bruce Tyner, Beverly Tyner; publicity, Mrs. Kenneth Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Abbott and Mickey, Hallowell, Mrs. Lori Small, Randall Buck, Oxford, called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, this week.

Mrs. Ethlyn Ruokolainen and Cliff Lord, Rochester, N. H., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Ruokolainen, Lisa, Karen, and Angie, Monday.

Tuesday and then attended West Paris Senior Citizens meeting in the afternoon.

## Wilma Pierce, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Birney of South Paris, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lawrence, Sunday.

Callers and visitors at Pierces have been: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roak, Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene DeShon and family, Oxford; Darlene Hussey and baby, Shannon, South Paris; Eveline Barrett, Doris Lawrence, Rena Ring, Blanch Bean, Frances Noyes and Barry, Bea Heath, Gladys Bonney.

Mrs. Martha Stevens and children left Monday morning for Texas, where she will visit her father for two weeks.

The Andover Friday Club meets with Mrs. Warren Percival on Friday at 2:30 p. m.

Word has been received of the

## CARD OF THANKS

My family and I are looking for words today to express our thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their thoughtful acts of kindness during my confinement in the hospital. Thanks also to Dr. Bean, Dr. Hamilton, the nurses and staff at the Stephens Memorial Hospital. A world of thanks to everyone.

Janice Smith and family

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death of Pauline Small Heath, Uncasville, Conn., on Feb. 3.

## FRYEBURG HANDLES GOULD, 62-48, IN SATURDAY HOOP ACTION

Fryeburg Academy rolled over host Gould Academy, 62-48, in a basketball game Saturday. The visitors led 24-10, 42-13 and 48 to 29 at the station stops. Schneider set the pace for the winners with 16 points and the Huskies got double figures from Dave Robinson (12) and Dave Williams (10). Fryeburg won the Jolley duel, 53-50.

Saturday's summary:

	g	f	p
Fryeburg	2	0	4
Abbott	3	0	6
Pouzel	8	0	16
Schneider	6	0	12
Somers	3	1	7
Wofford	2	0	4
Turner	2	0	4
Judge	0	1	1
Hastings	1	0	2
Rickabee	3	0	6
Stacey	0	0	0
Davey	0	0	0
Totals	30	2	62
Gould	9	1	8
Cruz	4	0	8
Williams	5	2	10
Robinson	4	4	12
Ault	1	7	9
Cunningham	0	0	0
Moore	2	0	4
Douglas	2	1	5
Totals	17	14	48

Fryeburg 24 42 48 62  
Gould 10 13 29 48  
Ayer and Hamlin, 4-8's.  
Fryeburg 53, Gould 50 (JVs)

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## CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church  
Rev. James Nason  
Lay Leader, Rodney Hanscom  
Organists—Miss Cathy Littlefield

Mrs. Nesta Littlefield  
Superintendent of Studies  
Mrs. Barbara Greenleaf

Sunday:  
9:15 a. m. Church School for all ages.

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

Wednesday:  
10:00 a. m. Study Groups meet at the homes of Mrs. Burton Abbott and Mrs. Robert Gordon.

1:30 p. m. Workshop meets at the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon.

West Parish Congregational Church  
United Church of Christ  
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor  
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist

Mrs. Sandra Caton,  
Church School Supt.

Child Care—Miss Cindy Parker

Miss Shirley Merrill

Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship. Child care in the church kitchen.

Wednesday:  
3:15 p. m. Church school for Kindergarten through grade 4.

7:00 p. m. Church school for grades 5 through 8.

Thursday 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the church.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene  
Rev. Ralph LeBlanc, Pastor

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Sunday:  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 7 p. m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting at the church.

Catholic Services

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Sunday morning at Our Lady of the Snows Church on Route 23.

Episcopal Chapel of Christ the King

Sundays at 7 p. m., Casco Bank Building.

Bethel Gospel Center

at the Odd Fellows Hall

Guest Speaker

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.

Evening Service, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:

Bible Study and Prayer Service,

7 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church

Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor

Church services, 9:30 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.

Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsed every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church

Pastor: Dwayne Toppenberg

Saturday:

Sabbath School: 10 a. m.

Church Services: 11:30 a. m.

Prayer meeting: Tuesday evening.

7:30 p. m.

Bryan Pond Baptist Church

Linwood Hanson, Pastor

9:15, Sunday School.

10:30, Morning Worship Service.

6:30, Young Peoples' Meeting.

7:30, Evening Service.

West Paris Universalist Church

Joseph Perham, Lay Preacher

Mrs. Elaine Penley, Organist

Worship Service: 9: a. m.

Sunday School: 10 a. m.

The Church of Jesus Christ

of Latter-day Saints

Oxford Branch—Meeting Hall is

second floor, Municipal Building,

Mechanic Falls.

Sunday:

Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Sacrament Meeting, 6:00 p. m.

Tuesday:

Primary (3-12 year olds), 6:15 p. m.

MIA (12-18 year olds), 6:15 p. m.

Wednesday:

Relief Society (Woman's Organization), 6:30 a. m.

Christian Science Services

In all Christian Science Churches

the Lesson-Sermon read from the

desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Feb. 10: Subject—Spirit.

Golden Text—(I Peter 4:14)—The

spirit of glory and of God rested

upon you.

First Church of Christ Scientist,

corner of Main and Tenth Streets,

Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning

services at 11 a. m., and Sunday

School at the same hour for pupils

up to the age of 20 years. The

Wednesday evening meeting is at

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Christian Science Society, Norway,

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Sunday: Services and Sunday

School at 10:30 a. m.

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tend these services. Everyone is

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Heals," may be heard on radio sta-

tions, as advertised in this news

paper.

## HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEETS

The Bethel Hospital Auxiliary met with Ruth Ames at her home on Broad Street with Carolyn Brooks as co-hostess. A pot luck supper was served. Nineteen members including one guest, Harry Lowd, administrator of the Rumford Community Hospital, were seated at the meeting.

Following the supper, Mr. Lowd conducted a question and answer period. Pamphlets on Human Services for Northern Oxford County were passed out.

Joey Carter, a member of the nominating committee presented the following slate of officers for 1974 which were duly elected: President, Carolyn Brooks; Vice President, Sarah Stevens; Treasurer, Agnes Thurston, and Secretary, Adeline Dexter. The gavel was then turned over to the new president.

It was voted to have a rummage sale with a foot table as a feature attraction. The committee is as follows: Frances Saunders, Sarah Stevens and Charlotte Crain. All members are to help. Articles for the sale and home cooked food for the table. Working together makes a success. The sale will be held in the basement of the Casco Bank Friday, Feb. 15, from 1-5 p. m.

There was a discussion relative to the annual Spring Dance. Final plans will be made at the March meeting. The next meeting will be held March 11 at Barbara D. Brown's at her home on Elm Street.

IRS REPRESENTATIVE  
AT RUMFORD, MONDAY, FEB. 11

A representative of the Internal Revenue Service will be in the IRS Office at the Post Office Building, Rumford, Maine, from 12:30 to 4:30 p. m. on Monday, Feb. 11, 1974, to provide the public with taxpayer service.

Local telephone assistance may be obtained by calling 364-2664 during these hours. Toll-Free telephone assistance is available, Mondays thru Fridays. The Toll-Free Number is 800-452-8750.

## RUMFORD POINT

## Congregational Church

Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor

Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist

Kenneth Murray,

Supt. of Church School

Sunday, Feb. 10:

Mr. Ronald Answorth, guest speaker.

9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

9:30 a. m. Nursery School.

10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.

10:45 a. m. Church School.

5:00 p. m. Jr. Youth.

6:15 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

Monday, Feb. 11: 6 p. m. Cosmos Club Supper Meeting.

Tuesday, Feb. 12: After School—

Den 1 of Cub Scouts at Mrs. Rose-

Ann Verrill's; Den 2 of Cub Scouts

at Mrs. Evelyn Wing's;

6:30 p. m. Men's Club Supper meet-

ing.

Wednesday, Feb. 13: Ladies Aid

at 1:30 at Mrs. Pauline Shatney's;

After School—Girl Scouts at Mrs.

Morton's.

Thursday, Feb. 14: 6:30 to 8 p. m.

—Worship at the church; 6:30 p. m.—Youth Chorus at Mrs. God-

dard's; 7:30 p. m.—Sr. Choir Re-

hearsal.

Friday, Feb. 15: 7 p. m. Troop

509 of Boy Scouts at the Church.

Cozy Inn Nursing Home

Tuesday, Feb. 12, 10:30 a. m.

Worship service with Rev. Lester

M. Strotz as guest minister.

First Congregational Church

United Church of Christ

Andover

Rev. David K. Norrie, Pastor

Mrs. Linda Burnham, Organist

Mrs. Shirley Field, Music Director

Mrs. Jane Norrie,

Church School Superintendent

Sunday:

Church School, 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship, 11 a. m.

Calvary Congregational Church

Andover, Maine

M. Lester Strotz, Pastor

Mrs. Beverly White, Pianist

Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-

centered lessons; Classes for all

ages; Adult class.

Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

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## NORTHWEST BETHEL

—Mrs. Louis B. Chapman, Corres.—

Slowly but surely, all children must grow up. It happens one step at a time. You have to watch carefully, or you'll miss these steps, and once you've missed them, there's no going back! In four short years, I've seen my oldest grow from complete dependency on me to a form of her own independence. A small thing like dressing herself, and getting her own drink of water means she is, in a small way, preparing for the outside world. My baby, my two year old, just gave up her bottle, and refuses to wear diapers to bed. Certainly a form of independence. Each of the girls are beginning to form very distinct personalities, and, in more ways than one, are beginning to assert themselves. Each new day brings new discoveries for me, both as a parent and as a person. You have to observe your children

very closely, because if you blink they may grow up without you. Now, after you've suffered through my philosophy on children growing up may I once again share a personal experience with you?

The experience centers around just what I've been talking about, growing up. The girls and I were up in the woods where their father works. He has a small camp there where the various tools, necessary for logging, are kept, and where the workers can come in and enjoy the warm wood fire and eat their lunch. Since this place is only a mile from the trailer, we enjoy going there quite often. It's quite a treat for the girls to go up there and enjoy such delicacies as crisp, cooked hot dogs, hot chocolate, and twinkies. But, the other day, they discovered fire. Now what does that mean? Well, I was in the process of stocking a very uncooperative fire when they began to notice the effect of the fire on a piece of paper. To them, it was amazing to watch the fire take a piece of paper and methodically devour it. A small but significant step, wouldn't you say?

Victor Coolidge is improved somewhat after his accident. He's still in Rumford Community Hospital where he has to stay until he is able to have a cast put on. He hopes to be home by Friday.

Timmy and Kristy Angevine have been down with the "bug" this week.

It's always good to see Mr. Lapham on his daily walks. Nice to think someone's got so much energy!

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## LT. COL. BENNETT TO RECEIVE DEGREE

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Lt. Col. Bennett, the son of the late Harold G. Bennett, and Mrs. Bennett, is a 1952 graduate of Gould Academy. He enlisted in the army in October, 1954. He, his wife Katherine, and daughter April, expect to return from London in August.

## HEALTH INFORMATION FORUM PRESENTS PROGRAM ON FAMILY LIFE ON FEB. 13

The Health Information Forum of the Rumford Community Hospital and Auxiliary will present a Family Life Forum on Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Greater Rumford Community Center, ground floor meeting room, beginning at 7 p. m. The public is invited and admission is free.

Participating organizations will include: Ti County Family Planning, Prepared Childbirth Organization, LaLeche League and Rumford Nursing Mothers Group, and the Oxford County Association for Retarded Children.

Anyone interested in family life is invited to attend. They will have an opportunity to learn more about these organizations, and how these groups can help them to have a healthier, happier family.

JoAnne Cook, Family Planning Coordinator for Oxford County, will discuss the services and eligibility of her organization. Through the use of a filmstrip presentation, she will explain family planning which is voluntary planning and action by people to have the number of children they want when they want to have them.

The Prepared Childbirth Organization, which educates expectant couples in prenatal care and in the process of labor and delivery, will be presented by Jennifer Cohen, R. N., one of the instructors. She will explain the objectives of their organization and give a brief description of the content.

The LaLeche League and the Rumford Nursing Mothers Group, which meets to share views and discuss benefits of breastfeeding, will be represented and discussed by Fay Corrill and Louise Stickney. Information about a newly formed group in the Bethel area, "Mothers with Children," will also be available.

Mrs. Laura Dubois, director of programming for the Oxford County Association for Retarded Children, will cover the following questions in detail in order to give an in depth study of programming for the retarded in this area: What is mental retardation? What does birth-to-death programming mean to the retarded and their families? What services do the Oxford County Association for the Retarded offer for the community?

This Family Life Forum is the third in a series of nine public information programs presented to explain the role of health agencies in the community.

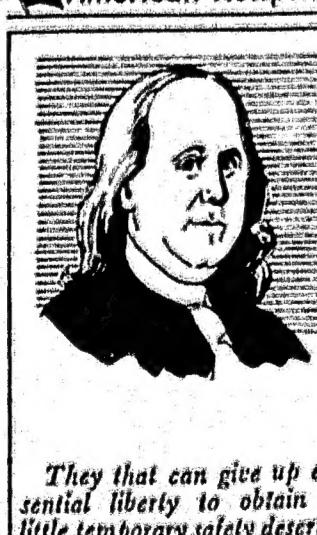
## TELSTAR GUIDANCE NEWS

The following seniors at Telstar Regional High School have been accepted at college for the upcoming year:

Linda Hertell, St. Mary's Hospital, Nursing; Central Maine General Hospital, Nursing; Sheri Leaford, Connecticut Community College, Recreational Leadership.

Also Kerry Smith, a 1969 graduate of Telstar will be attending Thompson School of Applied Sciences and will be majoring in Forestry Technology.

## American Viewpoints



They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety.

—Benjamin Franklin

## 300 FOOT HEARINGS

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within the 300-foot zone if no pollution of the nearby waters will occur. Dump owners who felt they could qualify for such variances were to submit applications to the DEP prior to Nov. 1. Their requests will be reviewed at the hearing next Tues-

day. All others, whose dumps cannot qualify because nearby waters are being harmed, will be ordered to close down that portion of their operation within 300 feet of the water.

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## IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

At the hearing on Tuesday information will be sought to help the Board establish a reasonable and firm closing schedule.

## LOCKE MILLS

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Mr. and Mrs. Avon Virge of Connecticut were recent visitors of her mother, Mrs. Mary Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Newell and family of Kennebunk were Sunday dinner guests of his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lesmore Durgin.

The Youth Group will hold a Valentine Party at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Bill Roberts this Thursday evening from 7 to 9 p. m.

Rev. Tom Caton, Bethel Congregational Church, will be the guest minister at the Union Church this week. Services will begin at 9 a. m. this week.

The Jackson-Silver American Legion Post No. 68 and Auxiliary will hold its annual oyster stew supper for members and families this Thursday evening at 6 p. m.

Lester Cole, youngest son of Mr.

and Mrs. Herschel Cole, has been having the German measles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Marcia were in Bolster Mills Friday evening to get his sister, Mary, who had the week end off from her work there. Mr. and Mrs. Mills, Ralph and Marcia, accompanied her back to Bolster's Mills Sunday evening and then stopped in Norway to have supper to celebrate Marcia's 16th birthday, which occurred that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring and family of Freeport were Saturday evening callers at Daniel Cole's.

Mrs. Lee (Mary) Mills returned last Wednesday from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Marion Tibbets and Mrs.

Stella Howe were in Litchfield Sunday visiting Marion's daughter, Mrs. Arthur Doyle and family.

Miss Sharon A. Jordan, daughter of Mrs. Everett Chase, has been named to the Dean's List for the first semester at U. of M. Orono, where she is a freshman.

Carrie Sue Tibbets, of Denver, Colo., is spending one week in Austin, Texas, with her family, the Dr. Alfred H. LaGrone's. She will attend a practice performance of Peter and the Wolf put on by the Austin Civic Ballet (of which her sister, Kimberly, is a member).

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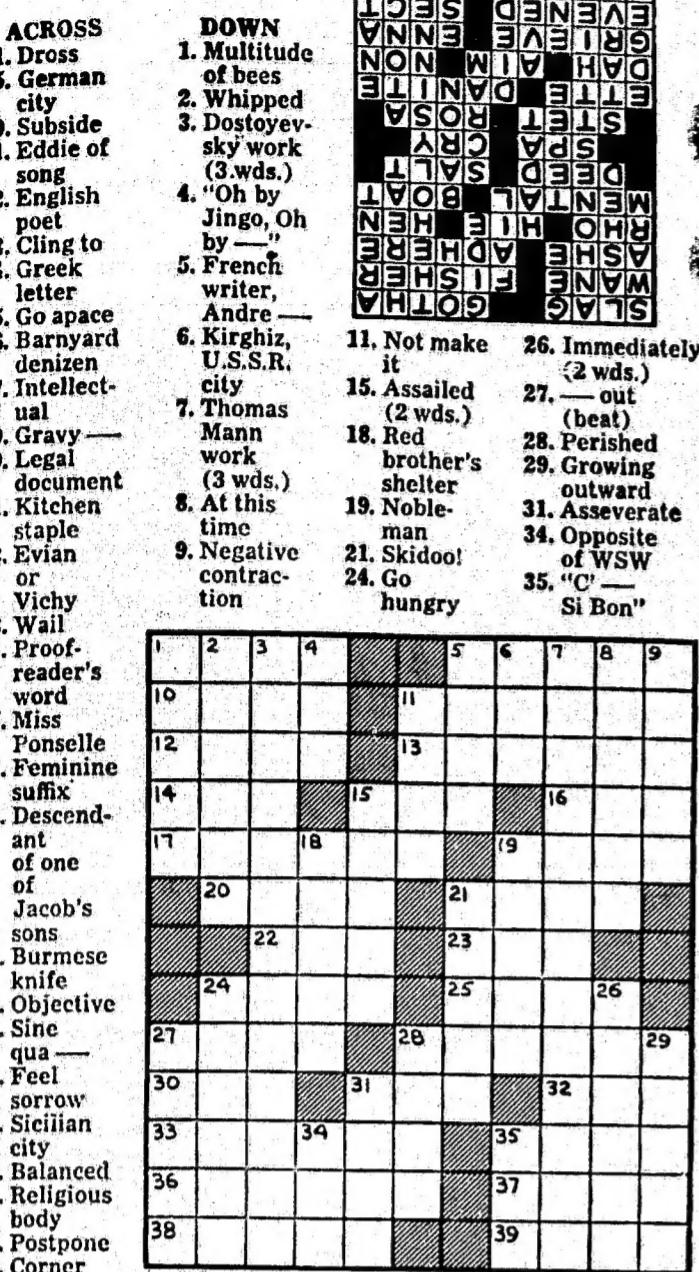
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## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

TODAY'S ANSWER

HOME HEATING OIL  
STILL IN SHORT SUPPLY

"We don't have all the home heating oil we need or would like, but if everyone continues to conserve fuel, and the weather remains moderate, we won't suffer any major disruption," said Timothy Wilson, Director of the Bureau of Civil Defense.

I've been quoted as saying that the home heating crisis is over. It is not over, but it is no longer the worst crisis in fuel that we have in Maine. There are still problems, but after three months of work, we are better able to handle them. Of course, no matter how well the State Fuel Allocation Office can handle problems, they still exist," Wilson stressed.

Wilson urged people to continue their fuel conservation efforts. "This is not the time to turn thermostats up. If people began to do that because they thought the crisis was over, we would again be faced with major shortages of No. 2 and kerosene," he said.

Wilson repeated that gasoline was now Maine's most crucial problem. But he added that home heating fuels were "running a close second".

"PROJECT FUEL" HAS  
WINTERIZED 20 HOMES IN  
OXFORD COUNTY

Oxford County "Project Fuel" which is being administered by Oxford County Economic Opportunity Council has winterized a total of 20 homes to date in the following towns: Norway, Paris, Hebron, Hartford, Oxford and Buckfield. Winterizing consisted of banking houses, plastic storm windows, replacing broken panes of glass, capping, caulking, weatherstripping, insulation of walls, skirting trailers, cleaning chimneys, replacing stove pipes and flues. Applications to winterize homes have also been received from Rumford, Mexico, Dixfield, Andover, Byron and Canton.

Workmen will begin winterizing homes in Rumford, Mexico and surrounding towns starting the week of Jan. 28. If you live in Oxford County, and have a loss of heat due to broken windows, no storm windows, house not being banked or loss of heat through roof due to lack of insulation, if you have a fuel or energy crisis problem, contact the Energy Crisis Coordinator, Joyce Bennett at the Oxford County Economic Opportunity Council Office, 35 Market Square, South Paris, Maine between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m. For local calls: 743-5931. Long distance calls: 1-800-7526. You do not have to be a home owner to qualify for this program. Guidelines are O. E. O., Elderly, Infirm, Home with mother head of household, and Families with small children.

The pines had grown so much taller in a year's time and on such a surface as this the shadows were plentiful, the brown grasses standing by the way were many and varied; each interesting in its own way.

At the end of this lane I crossed the woods to the left then the Sanborn near the rapids. Following the river toward Patch Mountain I came to a chattering brook; its ice cover fallen in. Tiny pools carried silvered water and the soft light of the sun through the branches. The waving sea of feathered ferns was no

where to be seen but mosses grew on the banks. There is always beauty in the running brooks. One empties into another then the swift and slow are one moving on.

The snow's white blanket showed the rabbits' clumsy track. Had he

## GREENWOOD CITY

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

come here to drink or just to enjoy the stillness as I had?

"Peace is not on a rushing highway leading nowhere; it is in the depth of forests where the wind is stilled."

—Ina Ladd Brown

An uphill climb took me to the top of a knoll where there were gray birches, some leaning and covered with fungi, like tiny ears, and were smoothly buttoned into their jackets.

From beyond came the faint dry rustle of the withered oak leaves, as I descended the hill and started toward home.

It had been a day of warmth and friendly sun and now that it was time to depart I had the picture tightly locked in my heart. A woodland walk is a happy experience and no matter how many times repeated never loses its charm.

Callers this week at Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt's were: Rena Bacon, West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and Daniel, Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were in Bethel on Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundt.

There was a family gathering at Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt's on Sunday afternoon. The occasion was the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and the birthday of Ann Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hakala and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hakala, attended a birthday gathering for Mrs. Katherine Morey at Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Morey's on Saturday.

Callers this week at Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett's were: Herbert Dunham, Rowe Hill; Barbara Im-

I REMEMBER  
BY THE OLD TIMER

From Mrs. Ollie Gilmore, Laurinburg, N.C.: I remember when there were no cars and when Sundays came the buggies and wagons and the surreys with the fringe on top would get folks to the churchyard.

When someone was sick, folks came from miles around to visit. When someone died, men dug the grave and sometimes made the coffin. Women cooked and helped in other ways.

We raised all our vegetables, raised hogs for meat and lard. We worked in the field all day and at night we loved to sit around the big fireplace and listen to stories of their early years. Sometimes, mama would sing.

We raised chickens, and gathered eggs, and milked cows. There were no fancy decorations in those days.

We walked two or three miles to school each day. We boiled our clothes in a big wash pot, used a scrub board. Mama even made the soap with which we did the laundry. Those were the good old days.

(Send contributions to this column to The Old Timer, Box 639, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.)

monen, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer, Leon Baker, West Paris.

Ruth Hastings, South Paris, was a caller at Colista Morgan's on Friday afternoon.

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Mary, Queen of Scots, was beheaded on February 8, 1587. On February 9, 1861, Jefferson Davis was elected president of the Confederacy. Queen Victoria was married on February 10, 1840. Thomas A. Edison, famous American inventor, was born on February 11, 1847. February 12, 1809, was the birth date of Abraham Lincoln, 16th President of the United States. "The Blue Danube Waltz" was first conducted publicly by Johann Strauss on February 13, 1867. On February 14, 1859, Oregon was admitted into the Union.

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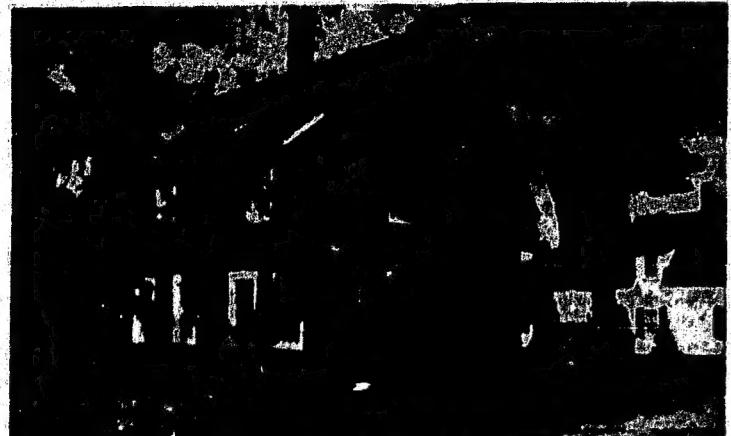
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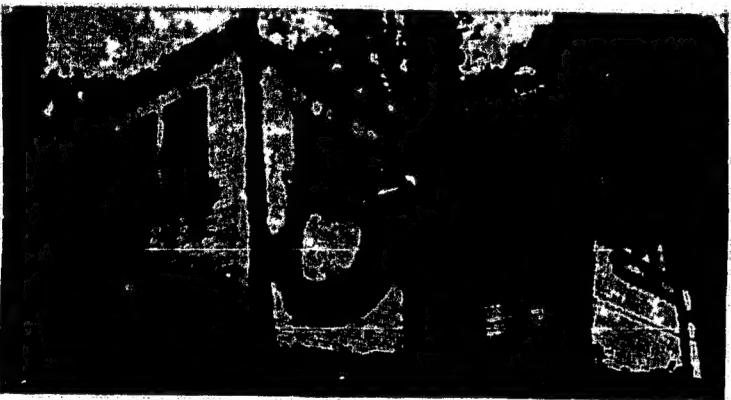
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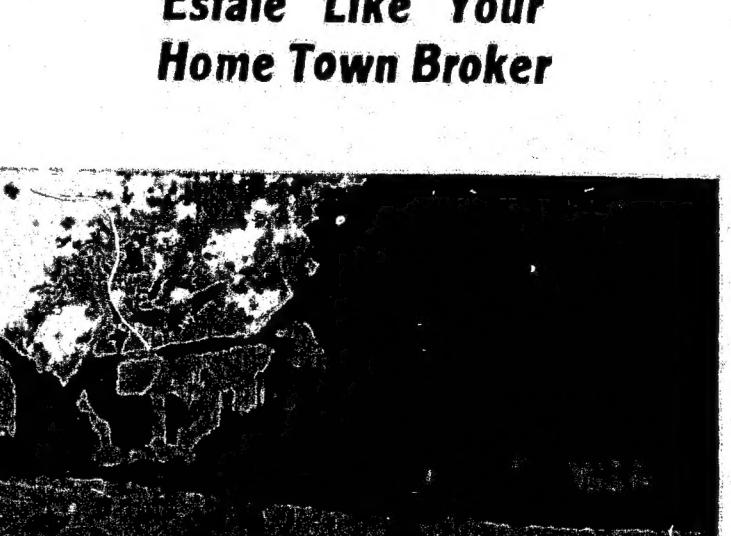
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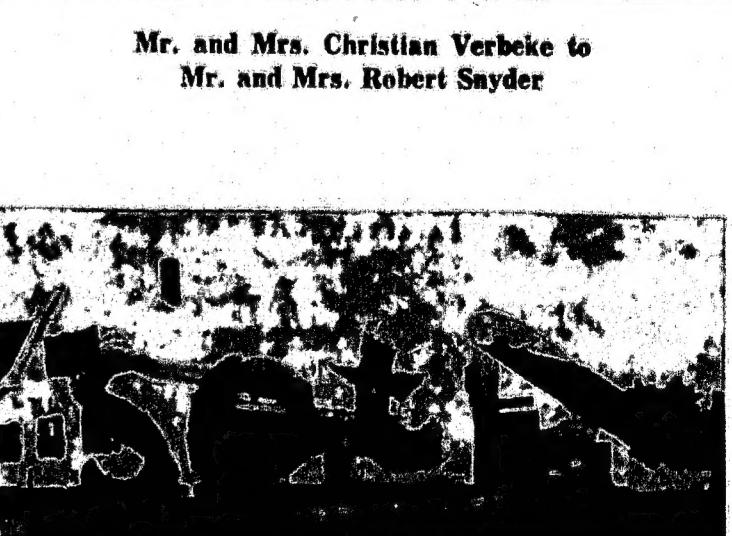
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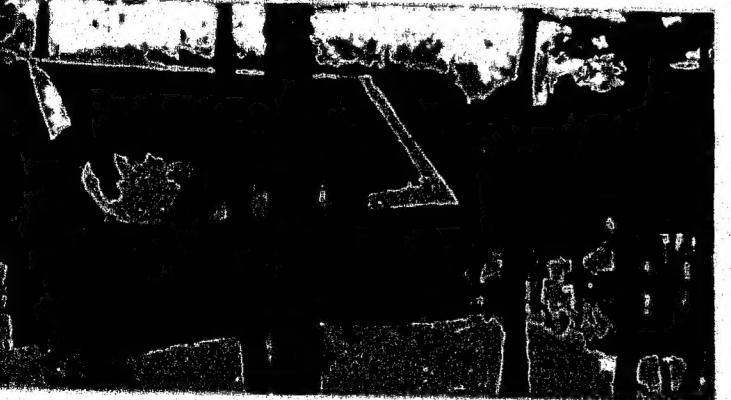
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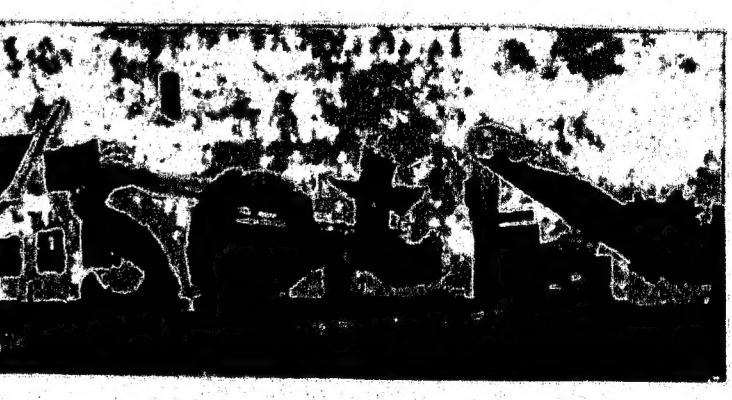
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## your week ahead BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: February 10 - February 16

**ARIES**  
Mar. 21 - Apr. 19

Here we go again! It seems as though many members of your sign will permit . . . pleasure and the thoughts of the opposite sex to interfere with daily chores.

**TAURUS**  
Apr. 20 - May 20

Favorable aspects hover over your chart. Apparently, a previously developed skill or aptitude will come into play, during this week's cosmic cycle. Oh yes! Overtures from the opposite sex are probable.

**GEMINI**  
May 21 - June 20

Avoid old, very old emotional ties. Apparently, in affairs of the heart, you are heading toward a situation that promotes systemized self deceit. Don't duplicate past errors with the opposite sex.

**MOONCHILD**  
June 21 - July 22

Apparently, an associate or close friend is about to throw away security for a short gain. In one form or another, you will be affected.

**LEO**  
July 23 - Aug. 22

You can't kid stellar patterns. The truth of the matter is: You are going to blame someone else for your own shortcomings.

**VIRGO**  
Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

Don't get the wrong idea! Your chart isn't telling you to run from your problems, nonetheless, it would be a good idea to ignore outside pressures, heading your way.

**LIBRA**  
Sept. 23 - Oct. 22

It's a fact of life, some members of your sign are in the initial stage of becoming involved in a triangle. Subtle overtures show in your chart. Don't commit yourself beyond reasonable performance; especially, in affairs of the heart. A member of the opposite sex, will attempt to manipulate you.

**SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

There's not much in the way of excitement, this week. It's worth mentioning, however . . . You will have the chance to say "I told you so."

**CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

Put wishful thinking where it belongs. Apparently an associate will approach you with a "Hare brain" scheme. It's "steady as she goes," with your plans.

**AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20 - Feb. 18

Past mistakes and beliefs might return to plague your present relationship with the opposite sex. Avoid talk of by-gone days and rehash.

**PISCES**  
Feb. 19 - Mar. 20

A series of events will trigger plans that have long been held in the far dark corners of your mind. Meaning? Probably a dream, or so, will come true!

## PERSONALITY PROFILE

For your Sun Sign Analysis, send the day, month, year and place of birth, plus \$1.00 for postage and handling to Dr. Andrew W. Damis, P. O. Box 12766, St. Petersburg, Florida 33733.

## TELSTAR NEWS

It has been a busy week here at Telstar. Second quarter grades have come out.

There is going to a Talent Show put on by the Music Department Feb. 14. The performers will be student members of the various musical groups. It should prove to be The basketball games have been finishing up (varsity, junior varsity, the girls team and junior high). Most of the ski meets have been cancelled due to the lack of snow. Very entertaining; so we hope to see you there!

The stage band is hard at work

preparing for the upcoming festival and competition at the University of New Hampshire in March.

— Nancy Brown.

## SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Thompson, Twin Mt., N. H., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and family.

On Monday evening, the Robert Andersons were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Thompson and family in Twin Mt., N. H.

The Louis DeVallee family returned to their home in Westfield, Mass., after spending a week at their camp.

Clyde and Ruby Whitney, Casco, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and family.

Horace Brockman and friend, Pennsylvania, were weekend guests of Warren Lapham.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurice Morrill, of Freeport, and Lois Verrill and friend were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Salway, Andy and Lyndy, Norway, visited Sunday afternoon with the Dave Salways.

Several have enjoyed skating on the pond.

Mr. and Mrs. David Salway attended the funeral of Margaret C. Bean in South Paris on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Chittum and Linda spent the week end at their camp on the lake.

Sgt. Edward Bernier and family arrived Wednesday from Colorado to spend a few days with his parents. They left Monday for Fort Campbell, Ky., where he is newly stationed.

The weather has turned very warm with temperature in the high 50s on Sunday, Jan. 27. Much of the snow cover has melted and the snow banks are as dirty as in April. — A rainbow was visible in the northern sky briefly.

Elsie Douglass called on friends in town last week. She has visited her sister, Velzora Tripes of Gonic, N. H., recently and also visited her son, John and family of Pownal, and her daughter, Velzora Tibbets and family of Auburn.

The school committee held a budget planning meeting with Supt. Kinney Wednesday evening. Some of the amounts were changed due to anticipated higher school costs.

We were without power for several hours on two different occasions last week. With power failure, the only telephone service we have is we are able to call the operator in Littleton.

## BETHELITES' REUNION

A "Bethelites' reunion" occurred Jan. 30 at Fisherman's Wharf in San Francisco, Calif., when Mrs. Ethel Robertson of Richmond, Mrs. Mary Ann (Myers) Smith of San Mateo, and Mrs. Judy (Freeman) Tibbets of San Rafael, all formerly of Bethel, joined together for a luncheon date. Mrs. Nikki (McMillin) Miller was to have been there but was unable to make it. It had been about ten years since any of them had seen each other recently.

Once in a while I like to dream

Of old-fashioned days now past.

Once in a while a dream comes

true,

And happy moments last.

— Carice Williams

## UPTON

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

A group of young people came to Dr. Barnes' camp and found no electricity as the power had been out during the recent windstorm and had not been checked on that road. This made the third time within a week that we had been without power for several hours.

There has been some travel over E-8 Hill with 4-wheel drive vehicles. Wednesday a. m. a truck got stuck and had to call for help from the two jeeps which were available.

Fred and Mrs. McEe visited the Sidney Abbotts of East Sumner, Sunday.

Fred went to Lewiston on business Wednesday.

A lot of snowmachines went through during the week end.

Ellen LeClerc reports that Richard is just getting over a case of scarlet fever.

The surplus food program administrators of South Paris were in town recently.

Elsie Fuller has had trouble with her water freezing this winter. She thinks the lack of snow cover may be blamed for most of the trouble.

## Years Ago

10 YEARS AGO

First Aid courses were underway at Mechanics Institute, Rumford.

State Senator Norman K. Ferguson (R), Hanover, announced his candidacy for re-election for one of Oxford County's two Senate seats in the June Primaries.

Death: Lewis W. Hazelton.

20 YEARS AGO

Rumford voted to build a bridge across the Androscoggin River between Rumford Point and Rumford Corner.

Dixfield skiers won a triangular meet at Buckfield's winter carnival. Teams competed from Fryeburg, Dixfield and Buckfield.

Miss Mary Ellen Douglass of Upton was crowned queen of the Gould Winter Carnival.

Death: Edwin J. Mann.

Death: May Rancourt.

30 YEARS AGO

Guy A. Thelin, missionary to China, spoke at the Congregational Church, Bethel.

Deaths: Albion W. Herrick, John E. Lord.

40 YEARS AGO

Floors were being laid and finish put on in the Gould Academy building (Hanscom Hall).

Ernest Bisbee bought the interest of L. W. Ramsell in the coal business of Ramsell and Bisbee.

Deaths: Mrs. Nora Marsdon, Arthur C. Wight, Mrs. Helen Hill.

50 YEARS AGO

F. J. Tyler sold eight cows to go to the estate of Jesse Isadora Strauss, Kisco, N. Y.

A hearing was held on the raising of the overhead bridge at the foot of Church Street, Bethel.

Deaths: Mrs. Ruben Sweatt Dury, Mr. Eli Wight.

60 YEARS AGO

The Sam Felt house on Mt. Abram was destroyed by fire. The house contained 28 finished rooms. It was once a boarding house.

Deaths: Warren Peabody, Mrs. M. Lillee Chapman.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and relatives for the many cards, letters, and remembrances received since my illness, and those who were thoughtful of my family while I was in the hospital. I'm also appreciative of the wonderful care received at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mary A. Mills

## LOOKING AT 1974

## Will Hope Replace Cynicism and Apathy?

By

Patrick Dudgeon

Staff Writer

Community Press

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The writer is 30 years old, graduate of the University of Notre Dame, served as an Ensign in the U. S. Navy. His commentary does not necessarily reflect the ideas or opinions of the management or staff of this newspaper; it is presented for what it is — the views of one member of a generation group which has seen many changes in our society, our nation, and our world.)

1974 is moving on. The United States is now only two years away from its 200th anniversary. But are things working out the way we had planned? In general, I mean. With a new crisis greeting us on the national level almost daily now, it is not hard to believe that as a country we are at the least becoming a bit tense. I don't have the latest poll at hand but as I look ahead into the new year I have this "feeling." Cynicism and apathy are running rampant in our society. I can't document it for you, it's just an impression. If it's true I have some thoughts on why.

From the fence on which I sit our two devils can be traced to the tumultuous times of the last decade. A significant segment of the population has been so drastically influenced by the events of the sixties and early seventies that they still remain unsettled and unsure about their present situation and direction. For them the goals of this society have proven to be in error enough that they must be seriously questioned. Vietnam, Watergate. The list is familiar to us all. The disaffected multitudes aren't just the rebellious students, the draft evaders and the peaceniks of the '60s. Many went along with the war and other acknowledged societal aims until recently. And now they doubt themselves and the goals of their society.

## The Outlook

Alienation, Apathy, Cynicism, Secrecy, Distrust. Evil forces to be sure. Sadly enough they may be so inextricably interwoven throughout the fabric of our society that 1974 isn't such a cheery prospect after all. Because of these phenomenon a sizeable number of people are not actively participating in their society. Not too long ago many observers thought there was a real threat of revolution in this country. Others saw such thinking as an excuse for government intervention and takeover. Those notions have been mostly dispelled. Now the call is to work within the system. Sounds easy enough. Why then is it so difficult for so many to join and do so?

The answer to that question is not an easy one. It is conceivable to me that the manners, habits, ways of living and values of so many have been changed so much by past events that conventional ways of working within seem hopeless to them. In other words they are unable to adjust their newly formed personal habits and preferences to the task of changing the institutions and bureaucracies they now question.

It is obvious to even the most disinterested party that present day politics are presently a source of deep disenchantment to millions of Americans. Corruption seems widespread. Cynicism and apathy feed off that vice. Leadership is thought by many to be sorely lacking. Numerous laws are held to benefit only the rich. And the list goes on into 1974!

Regardless of the ills that may beset our nation, perhaps now is the time for hope. We can hope that the true American spirit will be revived through new and more effective leadership. We can hope that our love for consumption and possessions will be tempered by a deeper appreciation of available resources. We can hope that secrecy will be replaced by openness and distrust by honesty. We can hope that cooperation will displace alienation. Credibility will supersede cynicism. Perhaps constructive action will supplant apathy. Maybe 1974 is the year these and other things will begin to happen. If so, my guess is that those millions of disaffected citizens along with their fellow countrymen will have a most Happy Year.

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## MISS MEISNER ENLISTS IN AIR FORCE DEP

Victoria A. Meisner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Meisner, Star Route, Rumford Center, has enlisted in the Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP) in the U. S. Air Force, pending regular enlistment in the active duty Air Force.

She has enlisted in the inactive reserves, according to Sergeant Wilfred L. Cloutier, Air Force recruiter for the Lewiston area. The time spent in the reserves by Miss Meisner will count towards longevity pay in the active Air Force.

Airman Meisner was recruited by Sgt. Cloutier, Lewiston, recruiter. The sergeant can be reached by calling 784-9222 and his office is located at 29 Lisbon Street, Lewiston.

## CAMELOT TO BE PRESENTED AT RUMFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Rumford area theater-goers will be in for a musical treat when R. A. A. P. A. presents "Camelot" on February 7, 8, and 9 at the Rumford High School.

"Camelot" was the last collaboration of Allan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe and followed their smash hit "My Fair Lady." Some of their songs to be heard will include "If Ever I Would Leave You," "How to Handle a Woman," "What Do the Simple Folks Do?," "The Seven Deadly Virtues," "The Simple Joys of Maldenhood," "C'est Moi!," and, of course, the title song, "Camelot."

Kenneth Nyg will be seen as the medieval king who gathered the most stalwart knights of ancient England about his fabled Round Table, but in the story that Lerner fashioned from T. H. White's novel "The Once and Future King," he will be very occupied with his sprightly and beautiful Queen Guenevere, to be portrayed by Marie Wilson. This Round Table harbors a very famous triangle, at the third corner of which stands that most noble of knights and dashing of men, Sir Lancelot, played by James Farrand.

Others who will don shining armor for R. A. A. P. A.'s production of "Camelot" include Arthur Clavet as a fumbling dragon hunter, Robert Eckman as the evil knight who sows the seeds of Arthur's downfall, Charles "Bill" Hersey as Merlin the magician, as well as Wayne Landry, Robert Parent, and Edna Wulff. Among the damsels of "Camelot" will be Joyce Roy as the wicked, beautiful witch with a weakness for sweets—Morgan Le Fey; Bea Clark will be heard as the voice of Nimue.

Burton deFrees will direct "Camelot" and Anna Crouse will marshal all the musical elements of the production. Costumes are under the direction of Dee Hornan and Jean Jersey.

"Camelot" will begin at 7:30 p. m. on February 7, 8, and 9 at Muskie Auditorium. Youngsters will be dazzled, oldsters will "youthen" along with the wizard Merlin, at this enthralling musical about the fabled days of King Arthur and his knights.

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Gordon Rideout

Mr. Rideout, 63 years old, has officially filed his nomination papers with the Secretary of State, and is off and running on a self-financed campaign for the seat now held by Lowell Henley, Republican, of Norway, who has announced that he will not again seek the post.

Mr. Rideout is a self-ascribed liberal Republican who sincerely likes people, especially those he has been in contact with for many years.

"I feel so deeply about the people around here, I feel that I should repay those good people of this area that have helped me so much in the past," he said.

A strong believer in the youth of the country, Gordon said he wants to cooperate with them and listen to what they have to say. The area has experienced an influx of young, college-educated people with creative ideas.

"But they need jobs if they are to stay here," Gordon said. He plans to work to bring additional industry into the area to utilize their varied talents and skills, yet working in harmony with environmentalists.

Adding to his list of accomplishments, the reluctant retiree is a member of the Norway-Paris Kiwanis and the Masons, was for 21 years a trustee of secretary of the Oxford County Agricultural Society and for 12 years a trustee of the Paris Water District. In addition, the father of two was for many years the chairman of the South Paris Republican Committee and has been active politically for many years.

Gordon attributes much of the success he has experienced over the past years to his wife, Winona.

"My great success comes from marrying a girl that should have been a lawyer," he said.

Mr. Rideout and his campaign manager, Charles Hammon, an ex-legislator who is now retired, are gearing up for the up coming campaign and are anxious to work with the people. "I've really worked with people all my life and I really have enjoyed every minute of it," he said.

A former semi-pro baseball player who labels himself as a fastball side-arm, Gordon said he feels that at this moment archaic thinking is widespread. He feels that

times are changing and he thinks the people of the area feel that way as well. He hopes to meet voters in all parts of the District as time and the energy-crisis will allow.

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## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Linda Fraser, Correspondent

Gordon Rideout of South Paris, for 47 years an employee of the New England Telephone Company, will seek the Republican nomination for the State Senate from district five in the upcoming June 12 primary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryant, Bryant Pond, called on Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henningsway and Hanno Cushman, local, called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole Saturday. On Sunday Mrs. Luvie Sweetser called on the Cole's.

Sarah and Allison Chapman, Bethel, spent Friday evening with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Leweguze and girls of Norway attended the Open House at the Call of the Wild, Oxford. In the evening the Fraser's attended the housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stevens, Oxford.

Alan Farrington, Randy and Rhonda, called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary, Sunday.

## BETHEL HEAD START

The Head Start children are getting ready for Valentine's Day. They have made little hearts to paste on larger hearts for decorations. We will be having a Valentine Party Feb. 15 in the morning.

We have also made snowmen from styrofoam balls and toothpicks.

We visited the Bethel Savings Bank and would like to thank them very much for the tour and the nice banks and calendars they gave us.

We are planning to go to the Sunday River Ski Area, Thursday, if it is a nice day.

The staff has just ended their fall course and starting on their spring course which is human development. Two of the Bethel staff has received scholarship money to help take courses.

There will be a coffee meeting at Linda Morgan's Wednesday, Feb. 13 at 9:30.

Don't forget our Valentine Food Sale which will be Feb. 14 at the Bethel IGA—hours will be 1:00-5:00, so plan to drop in and see all our goodies.

Donations have been a box of games from Linda Harrington. — Thanks.

Volunteers and visitors have been Charlene Lever, director, Mary Jane Bubey, Norman Stone, Jean Pease, Mary Stecher, Sylvia and Greg Gould, Cleo and Troy Ryerson.

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## BORN

In Norway, Jan. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bishop (Ann Morton of Andover) a son, David Anthony.

In Rumford, Jan. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul DeShong of Andover, a son, Brian.

## DIED

In West Paris, Jan. 31, Aino M. Waisanen, aged 81 years.

## ANDOVER X-C. JUMP RESULTS

Out-of-Staters walked off with major honors in the Maine Junior Cross Country Championships held Sunday at Andover under the auspices of the Pineland Ski Club in 16 degree weather and granular conditions.

Tammi Valentine, Lyndon, Vt., took the girls Class I event and Howie Bean, Wolfeboro, N. H., led the boys 1 field. Mark Quinlan, Bennington, Vt., won boys Class I A honors.

Individual winners in the Togek jumping and cross country were: Jumping: Class V, Gerry Deanis (Pineland), 35.0 only entry. Class IV, Ed Palmer, Pineland. Class III: Russ Palmer (P).

Cross Country: Boys, Class V, Deanis; Class IV, Greg Chenard (R). Class III, Richard Morton (P); Class II, Jeff Meserve, Livermore Falls.

Girls Cross Country: Class V, Mary Ann Jaros, Pineland; Class IV, Kristine Gatz, Auburn; Class II, Karen Sauret, Pineland; Class I, Liz Carey, Rumford.

Partial results:

Jumping: Class IV: Palmer (P), 82.0; Greg Chenard (Chisholm S. C.), 75.0; Steve Zinck (C), 75.0; Ed Adams (C), 73.0; Steve Finley (Farmington), 64.0.

Class III: Palmer (P), 90.0; Scott Gould (F), 87.0; Chris Mills (P), 83.0; Richard Morton (P), 82.0; Jay Gould (F), 77.0.

Cross Country — Boys: Class V: G. Deanis (P), 11:44; Mike Erickson (Laconia, N. H.), 12:14; James Summerton (P), 12:18; Chuck Jaros (P), 13:51; Richard Labbe (Wasps), 16:06.

Class IV: Greg Chenard (C), 13:33; Mike Morton (P), 14:45; Eddie Palmer (P), 15:05; Mark Richer (Lac.), 15:28; Tim Akers (P), 17:22.

Class III: Richard Morton (P), 19:40; Chris Mills (P), 20:21; Scott Gould (F), 20:26; Nat Bangs (Lyndon, Vt.), 20:53; Randy Deanis (P), 21:22.

Class II: Jeff Meserve (LF), 34:52; Mike Dunn (Andover), 37:43; Jim Nichols (Rumford), 38:21; Bob Pidack (R), 41:38.

Class I: Bean, 32:06; Bill Chenard (R), 32:09; Peter Olsen (Bethel), 32:29; Mark Wagner (LF), 32:47; Tom Grace (Lyndon), 32:54.

Class L-A: Quinlan, 32:10; Jack Lyons (Hanover, N. H.), 32:34; Walter Malmquist (Holderness, N. H.), 32:38; Greg Waters (Hanover), 33:00; Diederick Cappelen, (Bethel), 33:35.

Class V: Mary Ann Jaros (P), 10:57; Holly Pidack (C), 13:31; Christin Richer (Lac.), 13:39; Brenda Broomhall (C), 13:40; Melinda Mills (P), 14:41.

Class IV: Kristine Gatz (Auburn), 14:31; Ann Arsenault (O), 16:14; Cheryl Hayes (Aub.), 16:37; Lynn

## WEEK IN OXFORD CO.

Fish and Game Commissioner Maynard Marsh cautions fishermen, snowmobilers or anyone venturing onto any frozen body of water to do so with extreme caution. The mild winter has created hazardous conditions.

Francis S. "Sam" Martin is retiring after 13 years as selectman for the town of Paris. He was honored with a dinner party at Bean's Restaurant. Mr. and Mrs. Martin and his sister, Mrs. Catherine Myers will spend the month of February in Miami.

Oxford County has been added to the seven Maine Counties eligible for federal disaster assistance funds because of December floods, State Civil Defense Director, Timothy P. Wilson announced Friday.

The Rumford Project Independence Citizen Mini Bus Transportation Office has moved to 44 Oxford Avenue, to newer and larger quarters. The mini bus located in Rumford services the following surrounding communities: Bethel, Upton, Dixfield, Peru, Mexico, Andover, Roxbury, Byron, Canton and Harford.

Broomhall (C), 18:36; Marie Miller (P), 23:11.

Class III: Karen Sauret (P), 19:55; Debbie Briggs (P), 20:59; Julie Gatz (Aub.), 20:59; Jodie Deanis (P), 22:24; Ann Summerton (P), 24:30.

Class II: Liz Carey (R), 19:04; Sherri Akers (P), 19:40; Peter Kling (Lyn.), 20:19; Becky Bangs (Lyn.), 20:19; Beth Baxton (Putney, Vt.), 20:25.

Class I: Tammy Valentine (Lyn.), 20:21; Karen Pidack (R), 24:58.

## AINO WAISANEN

Aino M. Waisanen died Thursday noon, Jan. 31, 1974, at the Ledgeview nursing home, West Paris, where she had been a patient the past nine months.

She was born in Sotkoma, Finland, May 10, 1892, the daughter of John Mustonen. She was educated in Finland schools and was married to Matti H. Waisanen in Finland, Sept. 29, 1912. They came from Finland to Massachusetts and later moved to Greenwood where they lived several years, moving to West Paris in 1952. Mr. Waisanen died Jan. 16, 1964. Mrs. Waisanen lived with son, Harold, in South Paris, prior to entering the nursing home. She was a member of the West Paris Mission Congregational Church.

Surviving are six sons, John of Greenwood, Toivo and Henry of West Paris, V. Edward of Westbrook, Michael of Otisfield, and Harold of South Paris; a daughter, Tyyme Waisanen, Welchville; 12 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; and two brothers, Henry Mustonen, Haverhill, Mass., and Edward Mustonen, Finland. A son, Eino, died on Dec. 21, 1964, and a daughter, Martha, died Jan. 12, 1959.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Feb. 3, from the L. W. Andrews and Son Funeral home, South Woodstock. Burial will be in the West Paris Finnish Cemetery in the spring.

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